



DRIFTING ON THE ROCKS

Large Bark Driving Toward Carmanah Point.

HARDLY ANY HOPE

She is Believed to Be the French Bark Admiral Courbet.

IS WITHIN A MILE OF SHORE

Brief Dispatch From Victoria States Another Ship is Drifting Into the Ship's Graveyard on the Rocky Vancouver Island Coast.

VICTORIA, Jan. 28.—A large bark is within a mile of shore two and a half miles west of Carmanah Point. It is feared she will be lost.

The bark was in sight all day and just after sundown drifted around the point and out of sight. It is not known whether she went on the rocks or anchored. She is in a dangerous position. The steamer Salvor has gone to her assistance.

Is the Admiral Courbet.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—A merchant's Exchange report from Seattle states that the vessel drifting in at Carmanah point is believed to be the French bark Admiral Courbet, from San Francisco to Puget Sound. The weather is reported calm, but a big swell is on the water and no tug is in the vicinity.

Schooner Turns Turtle.

VICTORIA, Jan. 28.—A telegram from Bamfield states the schooner Ella G., fifteen tons register, turned turtle and all six on board were drowned. Among them was Alexander McLean, formerly commander of the illicit fishing schooner Carmeneita.

The Ella G. left Victoria last Saturday on a fishing cruise off Vancouver Island. She was seen Tuesday night by settlers at Carmanah standing off Bonilla Point. According to those who saw her, she was acting strangely and did not pass out.

The schooner was wrecked three years ago near Clayoquot but afterwards salvaged.

It is thought when she was rebalanced the ballast was not properly put in the craft again. McLean is said to be the original "Larsen" in Jack London's "Sea Wolf".

Recovering Bodies.

Lineman Logan and a party who have been working at the scene of the Valencia wreck report the finding of four more bodies, three men and a young woman.

Organized searchers are making every effort to secure all the bodies of the victims of the Valencia disaster that can be found. Nineteen have been re-

covered up to this evening and with a calmer sea attempts will be made to land near the scene of the wreck and take the bodies on tugs.

The tug Lorne left tonight taking a party to assist in the search and the Wyadde is going from Port Townsend with another party to assist or relieve the tug Bahada. Lineman Logan has reported finding a small bay near the wreck where he believes the tugs can land and is removing all the bodies found by him to that bay. Logan has eight corpses in all. Of the nineteen bodies only five are identified.

LIMITED WRECKED.

BIRMINGHAM, Jan. 28.—Several were injured, but none seriously, in a wreck of the Frisco Limited about midnight Saturday forty miles north of here. The accident was due to a broken rail.

PREMATURE EXPLOSION.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 28.—By the premature explosion of dynamite in the Canadian Pacific construction camp near Keewau yesterday three were killed and four injured.

SENDS ALICE GIFTS.

PEKIN, Jan. 28.—The Dowager Empress has sent a number of wedding presents consisting of costly silks, jewels and ermine robes to the American legation for Miss Roosevelt.

TO JOIN HEYBURN

Fulton Will Help Protest Against More Reserves.

SUBJECT COMES UP TODAY

Idaho Senator Will Speak Against Withdrawal of Land For Additional Forest Reserves—Blue Mountain Reserve to be Protected by Fulton.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Senator Heyburn of Idaho has given notice that on Monday he will address the Senate on the subject of forest reservations and the immense withdrawals of land in Idaho and other western states for creation into additional reserves.

Senator Fulton probably will take part in the discussion of the subject as he has under consideration the effort which the forest service is making to add a large additional area of Oregon to that already included in the reservations. Oregon reserves now embrace 6,072,550 acres, and lands have been temporarily withdrawn from settlement for \$6,908,336 additional acres, to be created into the following reserves: Blue mountain, 2,130,400 acres; Warner mountain, 2,839,000 acres; Morrow and Grant counties, 417,000 acres; southwest Oregon, 1,102,320 acres; Maury mountain, 400,480 acres.

Fulton will protest against the creation of the Blue mountain reserve and will probably support the contention of Heyburn against the indiscriminate inclusion of lands within forest reserves in Oregon and other western states.

Senator Gearin was one of the guests entertained Saturday evening at a dinner given at the White House by President and Mrs. Roosevelt.

GENERAL WHEELER HAS AN IMPOSING FUNERAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—The funeral of General Joseph Wheeler was marked by an imposing military pageant today. Brief services were held in St. Thomas Episcopal church, after which the body was taken to Jersey City, where it was placed on a train to be taken to Washington for interment at Arlington. The body of the dead soldier was wrapped in the flags under which he served with almost equal vigor and distinction, the

Stars and Bars of the Confederate States and the Stars and Stripes. Veterans of the Northern and Southern armies mingled today in paying tribute to the dead general with veterans of the Spanish-American war. The route of the procession was lined with great crowds, most of whom stood with bared heads, while the cortege passed. Before the body was taken to St. Thomas church a ceremony was held at the residence of his sister in Brooklyn.

MIGHT HAVE SAVED ALL ON VALENCIA

BOATSWAIN AND ENGINEER TESTIFY THIS

Investigation of Valencia Wreck Begins—Two of Survivors Say Life Boat Could Have Easily Come to Passengers Aid.

OFFICERS INSPECTED ALL THE LIFE PRESERVERS GIVEN OUT

TESTIMONY SHOWS THAT THE SEA WAS COMPARATIVELY CALM JUST OUTSIDE OF THE LINE OF BREAKERS, WHEN THE VALENCIA WENT ON THE ROCKS, AND A GOOD LIFE BOAT SENT TO THE WRECKED SHIP WOULD EASILY HAVE SAVED EVERY PERSON ON BOARD.

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 (Special).—The investigation of the Valencia has commenced before United States Marine Inspectors Turner and Whitney, First Assistant Engineer Carrick and Boatswain McCarthy being examined. Carrick said he was in the engine room when the vessel first struck the rocks. He declares it was not until the second shock that water began to pour into the fire-room. Carrick said the heavy weather did not set in until early in the morning. The witness said Captain Johnson was very cool. Carrick was in charge of boat No. 7. Five members of the crew, two passengers and himself were in it. The boat filled before it was lowered, he said. "Some one evidently cut the aft tackle away and precipitated us into the water. I think I was the only one aboard the boat saved."

"Did the falls and tackle work all right?" "Yes."

"Did you consider the life boats fully equipped and in first-class condition?" "Yes."

All passengers had life preservers on and the officers went among them and inspected the belts. Those wearing "Tulle" belts were requested to discard them for cork ones and the officers readjusted every belt.

"We shot a line ashore and it dangled all day. The second assistant engineer then tried to swim but failed."

The question was asked why more passengers and less of the crew did not get on the raft. "Did the sailors attempt to crowd the passengers off?" "No," said the witness, "The passen-

gers would not leave the ship." The witness said that the first raft cleared the ship's side in safety and had little trouble in getting to the open sea.

"The raft we left on was the last thing aboard the ship for anyone to get on. The Valencia had broken up and the two parts of her were about ten to fifteen feet apart, the stern working toward shore. The foremast was standing, but no one was in the rigging. The only persons washed overboard that I saw were a woman and a child. When we pulled away from the vessel the last word I heard the Captain say, was Good-bye, Tom. God's sake try to save the passengers and crew."

"Do you suppose a regulation life saving surf boat could have saved the persons aboard?" was asked.

"Yes," was the answer. "I believe a life boat could have passed through the surf within twenty feet of us and got a line aboard and saved every soul. If six men could get that life raft clear from the ship I do not see why a regularly equipped life boat not have saved us."

"It was just as calm as a floor part of the time as we got outside the line of breakers when we first struck that at that time all could have gotten away."

Boatswain McCarthy declared that the passengers kept away from the boats and allowed the crew to work they would no doubt have been launched without difficulty.

"There was no crowding in the boats. The women were urged to go," said McCarthy, "but they refused."

STILL FIGHTING.

Troops and Revolutionists Continue Killing Each Other.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 28.—It is reported from Kutais that serious encounters are occurring between revolutionists and troops. Several of the latter being killed.

The arrival of General Alikanoff with troops brought about a restoration of order. Count Witte has received a telegram from Linovitch that all is quiet in the Manchurian army, and order prevails at Vladivostok where the mutinous sailors were disarmed.

WILD WEST SCENE.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 28.—Five armed robbers terrorized East Youngstown early this morning shooting two men and terribly beating a third. They raided a saloon making away with \$500 and also got \$200 from a butcher.

WYOMING BABY WEIGHS A POUND

OMAHA, Jan. 28.—The smallest baby on record in the West was born today to Mrs. Charles Bybee, of Lander, Wyo. The child weighs only a little more than a pound. Its head is only two inches in diameter.

WILL GET EVEN.

Standard Oil Will Buy But a Third of Midcontinent Output.

BARTLETTSVILLE, I. T., Jan. 28.—The Standard Oil Company has issued orders hereafter that only a third of the midcontinent output of oil will be bought owing to the fact that the Standard is prevented from continuing as buyer and transporter of petroleum by reason of ouster proceedings in Missouri. A committee representing producers will go to Attorney-General Hadley and tell him if the Standard is ousted from Missouri it will shut off their market for petroleum because the pipe line runs through a part of that state.

HURL BOMB.

Dynamite Bomb Blows Out Side of a House.

WORCESTER, Mass., Jan. 28.—A dynamite bomb was hurled through the second story window of the house of Paul Mosezynski this morning and tore away the rear part of the house. Twenty-two persons were asleep in the house. All escaped except one woman who was buried in the debris, but was not seriously hurt. Another woman who was sick, became insane by the explosion. The police are looking for Frank Calybonski and wife, formerly owners of the building from possession of which they were evicted by mortgage proceedings.

TO TRY ON FACTS

Question of Packers' Immunity to Be Decided on Facts.

COUNSEL UNABLE TO AGREE

As Case Stands Packers Will Introduce Testimony Substantiating Garfield's Investigation Giving Packers Immunity from Prosecution.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—That the question of the immunity of the indicted Packers from prosecution, must be tried on facts became a practical certainty today when the last effort of the opposing counsel to reach an agreement by which the matter might be expedited failed. As the case now stands the Packers will introduce testimony to substantiate the claim of Garfield's investigation which clothed the Packers with immunity from subsequent criminal prosecution inasmuch as each was compelled to produce evidence against himself. The jury will decide the questions of fact and the court will decide under the facts as found by the jury, whether immunity protects the Packers from prosecution on the main issue of the indictment.

SEVEN BUILDINGS BURN.

United States Naval Training Station at Coasters Harbor Destroyed.

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 28.—Seven buildings with the United States Naval Training Station at Coasters Harbor were destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is \$100,000. Several apprentices in single irons were confined in the detention building when the fire broke out but all were rescued.

MONEY USED CORRUPTLY IN NATIONAL ELECTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Publicity election contributions and expenditures and the formation of organizations to promote these purposes in every state were urged in an address issued tonight by the National Publicity Bill organization. It declares there was secret and corrupt use of money in the election of the chief magistrate of the country, and that legislators and state and municipal officers are a menace to the

BESEIGED IN HIS HOME

Insane Policeman Tries to Kill People.

HAS SMALL ARSENAL

Attempts Lives of Policemen, Family and Whoever He Sees.

FORCES WIFE TO DISROBE

After Compelling Her to Undress Chases Her Into the Street—Is Now Standing Off Police in His Home—Wears a Nightgown.

PEORIA, Jan. 28.—Charles Harwood, a former policeman, now violently insane entered the police headquarters this evening and at the point of a revolver held up several officers for fifteen minutes while he vented his insane wrath in a deluge of curses. After threatening to shoot the entire crowd and failing because of a snapped cartridge, he backed out of the station and escaped. Within an hour Harwood appeared near his home and entered the residence of Mrs. Montgomery whom he knocked down with the butt of his gun taking a shotgun and revolver from this house he barricaded himself in his own residence and at 10 o'clock tonight was standing off a squad of police who had surrounded the house. Saturday night he compelled his wife to disrobe and drove her into the street. This morning he made an attempt on the lives of his children.

At 1 o'clock Monday morning Harwood suddenly appeared on the porch of his house clad in his nightgown. He opened fire which was returned. No shots took effect. Harwood went back into the house and the posse settled down for a siege.

ALPHONSO AND INTENDED.

Spanish King and His Finance Take Automobile Ride.

BIARRITZ, Jan. 28.—King Alphonso accompanied by the military members of his household conducted the Princess Ana of Battenburg, her mother, the Princess Henry, and Prince Alexander of Battenburg in automobiles to San Sebastian where they were cordially received by the Queen's mother, Maria Christina. The party was enthusiastically greeted en route. At San Sebastian flowers were showered on the Princesses.

ALLEGES IT IS HEALTHY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Governor Magoon who arrived from Panama today says there has not been a case of yellow fever in the Canal Zone for seventy-four days. Work is progressing rapidly.